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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: George H. SMALL

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For: UMBILICAL CORD CLAMP AND
METHODS OF USING SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 104410-100

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

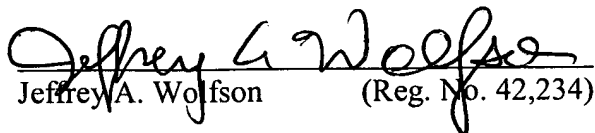
It is respectfully requested that the time for responding to the incomplete Office Action of June 23, 2005, which was re-mailed in full on July 18, 2005, be extended for a period of two months from October 18, 2005, which is believed to be the due date, to and including December 18, 2005.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$225.00 (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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